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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS

FOR MOVING CARRIAGE ASSEMBLY FROM INITIAL POSITION TO TARGET POSITION AND OPTICAL DISC SYSTEM INCLUDING

SAME (as amended)

RESPONSE

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 26, 1999, Applicant wishes to make the following remarks of record herein:

REMARKS

I. Preliminary Matters

Applicant acknowledges with appreciation the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter in claims 1 and 17-71 over the prior art of record herein, notwithstanding the rejections based on double patenting discussed herein below.